

GOVERNMENT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUANCE SYSTEM

Mayor's Order 2007-186
August 10, 2007

SUBJECT: Revised Delegation of Authority – Chancellor, District of
Columbia Public Schools

ORIGINATING AGENCY: Office of the Mayor

By virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the District of Columbia by section 422 (2) and (6) of the District of Columbia Home Rule Act, as amended, approved December 24, 1973, 87 Stat. 790, Pub. L. No. 93-198, D.C. Official Code § 1-204.22(2) and (6) (2006 Repl.), and by section 103(a)(b) and (c)(1) of the District of Columbia Public Education Reform Amendment Act of 2007, effective June 12, 2007, D.C. Law 17-9, it is hereby

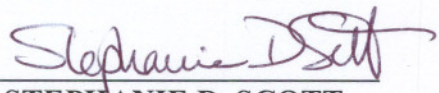
ORDERED that:

1. The Chancellor is delegated the authority vested in the Mayor by the District of Columbia Public Education Reform Amendment Act of 2007 (hereinafter, the Act) to govern the District of Columbia Public Schools (DCPS). Said authority shall include, but is not limited to, authority over all curricula, personnel, school operations and programs, functions and activities supported by the public schools and all day to day administrative duties related to education services for public school education. The Chancellor is further delegated the Mayor's procurement authority, except for that procurement authority which is vested in the Office of Public Education Facilities Modernization pursuant to Title VII of the Act.
2. The Chancellor is delegated the Mayor's rulemaking authority under the Act.
3. The Chancellor is delegated the authority vested in the Mayor to perform any and all executive duties and or/ functions necessary to govern the public schools of the District of Columbia. This authority includes any ceremonial duties, including but not limited to, signing and awarding diplomas and certificates, changing school names, and entering into agreements with other District agencies.
4. Any ambiguity concerning whether the Chancellor has delegated authority to take or approve a particular action shall be resolved by the Mayor or the Deputy Mayor for Education.
5. **RESCISSION:** This order supersedes Mayor's Order 2007-158 (July 5, 2007), any prior inconsistent Mayor's Orders, District of Columbia Board of Education

Orders and rules to the extent of any inconsistency, and other issuances to the extent of any inconsistency.

6. **EFFECTIVE DATE:** This Order shall become effective immediately.


ADRIAN M. FENTY
MAYOR

ATTEST: 
STEPHANIE D. SCOTT
SECRETARY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA